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SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR GRADUATE STUDY GRANT TO

MR. YEMI OGUNBIYI

1. AMONG PROJECTS INCLUDED FY-75 CPM IS PROPOSAL PROVIDE GRADUATE STUDY TO MR. YEMI OGUNBIYI TO ENABLE HIM PURSUE STUDIES LEADING TO MA DEGREE IN FILM/RADIO/TELEVISION AND REPLACE UNIBADAN FULBRIGHT LECTURER DESI KELAOOGNAR FOR ACADEMIC YEAR 75-76.

2. REQUEST COMES FROM DR. J.A. ADEDEJI, ACTING HEAD, DEPARTMENT THEATER ARTS (UNIBADAN) AND IS ENDORSED BY IBADAN AND EMBASSY.

3. ACCORDING ADEDEJI, OGUNBIYI CURRENTLY PURSUING PHD (THEATER ARTS) AT NYU AND HAS INDICATED INTEREST AND WILLINGNES TAKE ADDITIONAL COURSES (ACADEMIC YEAR 74-75) FOR MA IN FILM, RADIO, TELEVISION IF FUNDS CAN BE PROVIDED.

4. EMBASSY REGARDS PROJECT AS EXCELLENT FOLLOW-UP TO KEGL-BOGNRAS TWO YEARS AT UNIVERSITY. BY EXPOSING THIS NIGERIAN EDUCATOR TO AMERICAN EXPERTISE AND METHODS IN THIS VITAL SECTOR OF COMMUNICATIONS, WE NOT ONLY REINFORCE IMPACT OF KEGL-OOGNAR, BUT ALSO ADD A NEW DIMENSION TO THE PROCESS OF INTERCULTURAL COMMUNICATIONS.

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TM THEREFORE REQUEST DEPARTMENT CONSIDER PROPOSAL FOR FY-75

FUNDING AND ADVISE.

6. BIODATA, US ADDRESS ETC., WILL BE SUPPLIED BY IBADAN.
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